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FIG. 1A



OBTAIN PREDETERMINED NUMBER
OF NEAREST CANDIDATE HYPERCUBES
BY MEASURING DISTANCE BETWEEN
QUERY VECTOR AND EACH HYPERCUBE

-102

-104

-106

-108

-110

-112

OBTAIN K NEAREST NEIGHBOR
FEATURE VECTORS BY MEASURING
DISTANCE BETWEEN QUERY VECTOR
AND EACH OF ALL FEATURE VECTORS
IN CALCULATED CANDIDATE CUBES

CALCULATE K'-th SHORTEST DISTANCE FOR K NEAREST NEIGHBOR VECTORS OBTAINED ACCORDING TO PREVIOUS DISTANCE MEASUREMENT ACCORDING TO CHANGED DISTANCE MEASUREMENT SET CALCULATED DISTANCE AS r₁₊₁

CALCULATE K'-th SMALLEST LOWER BOUND FOR PREDETERMINED NUMBER OF CANDIDATE HYPERCUBES OBTAINED ACCORDING TO PREVIOUS DISTANCE MEASUREMENT AND SET SAME AS $\Phi^{\text{u}}_{\text{t+1}}$

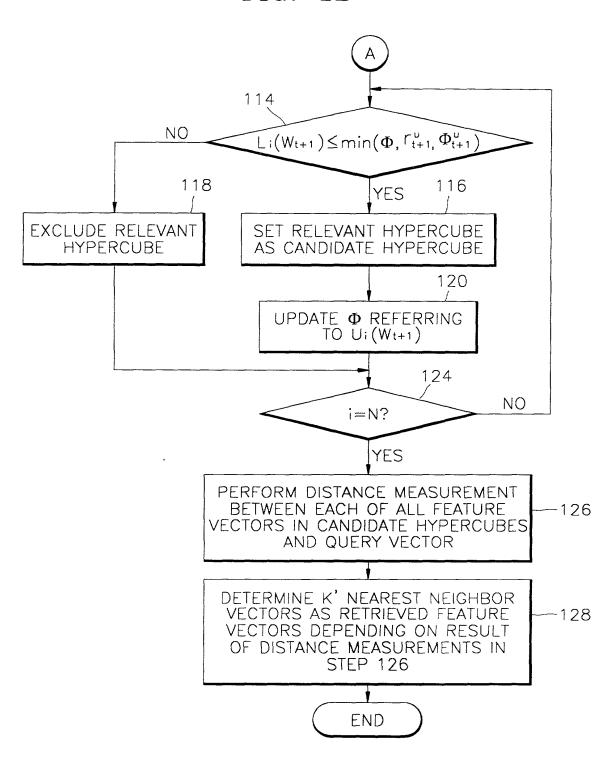
MEASURE DISTANCE L; (Wt+1) BETWEEN
LOWER BOUND OF HYPERCUBE IN
FEATURE VECTOR SPACE AND QUERY
VECTOR AND DISTANCE U; (Wt+1) BETWEEN
UPPER BOUND OF HYPERCUBE IN
FEATURE SPACE AND QUERY VECTOR

CALCULATE K'-th SMALLEST UPPER BOUND Φ

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FIG. 1B



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FIG. 2

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Begin  \begin{array}{l} \text{initialize } \Phi \\ \text{count=0;} \\ \text{for i=1 to N} \\ \text{compute } L_i\left(W_{t+1}\right) \text{ and } U_i\left(W_{t+1}\right) \text{ for P}_i \\ \\ 202 & \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{if } L_i\left(W_{t+1}\right) \leq r_{t+1}^u \text{ and } L_i\left(W_{t+1}\right) \leq \Phi_{t+1}^u \text{ and } L_i\left(W_{t+1}\right) \leq \Phi \\ \\ 206 & \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{update } \Phi \\ \text{choose P}_i \end{array} \\ \text{end for} \\ N_1 = \text{count} \\ \text{End} \\ \end{array}
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